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GERMAN INFANTRY ATTACKS FRUITLESS

Charge Was Made in Serried Masses for Positions at Dead Man's Hill, Northwest of Verdun

FRENCH GUNS INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES

The Attacking Troops Were Driven Eastward Toward Bois des Corbeaux-From Belgium to the Vosges the Artillery of Both Sides Have Been Active at Numerous Points-In the Argonne Forest the French Guns Are Shelling German Positions-Italians Continue Strong Offensive on the Isonzo Front.

Repulse at the hands of the French again has been the net result of a German infantry attack launched with nuge effectives after a heavy bembardment against French positions at Le Mort Homme, northwest of Verdun. The Germans who attacked in serried masses were driven eastward toward the Bois des Corbeaux, where the the Bois des Corbeaux, where the French guns inflicted heavy casual*ies

The attack at Le Mort Homme constituted the only infantry manoeuvre along the entire French front, but from Belgium to the Vosges the art llery of both sides has been active at numerous points. Around Douaumont and the village of Vaux the big guns are opvillage of Vaux the big guns are opvillage of Vaux the big suns are opvillage The attack at Le Mort Homme conboth sides has been active at numerous points. Around Douaumont and the village of Vaux the big guns are op-erating with redoubled violence, while ecuthward in the Woevre the artillery divis in the Meuse hills continue.

In the Argonne forest the French guns are still shelling the German positions northwest of the roal from Verennes and German batteries near Mentfaucon.

The latest German official community of the continuous continuou

The latest German official commun' cation making reference to French at-tempts to "dispute our possession of

Only engagements between patrols have taken place on the Russian from The Italians continue strongly on the offensive against the Austrians on the Isorzo front, especially on the Podgo a Heights sector and southwes f Sat Martino. On Podgora the Italians en-

in this sector failed and that the It is ians left numerous dead on the final. The Italian official statement declars German German official statement declars of German of that after severe artillery and musketry preparation the Austrians tounched two strong attacks and succeeded to reaching the edge of the granches taken from them recently, but were on rerch attacks and succeeded to reach at each occasion repulsed, "leaving the each occasion of ground covered with dead."

man Ambassador.

Announcement that the Berlin gov

ernment had found after investigation that none of its submarines had made the attack was made in last night's

Marital Troubles of Daughter of Late

"Lucky" Baldwin.

New York, March 16 .- Andrew Vin-

cent de Patterson, upon whom the late King Carlos of Portugal confer-red the title of baron for his services

in helping re-organize Portuguese fi-nances, caused the arrest here today of his wife, Mrs. Beatrice Anita Bald-

win de Patterson, defeated claiman

to the estate of Elias J. (Lucky) Bald-win, whose daughter she claimed to me. The baron charged that she had

several times called upon him at the club where he lives, and assaulted him

Cause. he declined a reconciliation
They were married at Roxbury, Mass.,
last June. The magistrate before
whom Mrs. de Patterson was arraign-

ed suspended sentence upon her agree-ment to cease her attacks upon her

By a Unanimous Vote of the Student

Body.

State College, Pa., March 16.—Class "scraps" at the Pennsylvania State

There was not a dissenting ballot in

exercises. Agitation against continu-ance of the custom has been spreading

For more than a decade Penn State sophomores and freshmen have staged three class scraps annually, the Citer scrap and pushball fight in the fall and

the flag scrap in the spring. During the last three years more tha 1,000 students have participated in each event. No injuries have resulted.

Had Recently Returned From There to

Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

tion, was returning because there was no naval evessel now on the east coast

ufficiently powerful to maintain reg-

ular communication with Washing-ton. The intention had been to send the vessel to Philadelphia from New

Movements of Steamships

via Falmouth.

Liverpool, March 15.—Salled, steame Adriatio, New York.

Rotterdam, March 15. - Arrived, steamer Nieuw Amsterdam, New York

of Mexico with wireless

ORDERED TO VERA CRUZ

BATTLESHIP KENTUCKY

College today were abolished by unanimous vote of the student be

AT PENN STATE COLLEGE

while club employes looked on, cause, he declined a reconcili

CLASS 'SCRAPS" ABOLISHED

FOR REPEATED ASSAULTS

news dispatches from abroad,

CAUSED WIFE'S ARREST

SILIUS NOT VICTIM OF

BOULANGER'S SON-IN-LAW VICTIM OF HAND GRENADE. Had Been Reported as a Prisoner of State Department So Notified by Ge the Germans.

Berlin, Barch 16 (By wireless to Sayville).—"Colonel Driant, son-in-law of the late General Boulanger, who has been reported by French newspapers to be a prisoner of the Germans, is dead, the victim of a hand grenade, according to a report from Karlsruhe," says the Overseas News agency. "A high German officer has visited Colone' Driant's tomb near Beaumont, north of the said the German ambassador, under instructions from his government formally ontified the state department today no German submarine was concerned in the sinking of the Norwegian bark Silius, from which seven American members of the crew were rescued. The ambassador's memorandum also said the German

Driant's tomb near Beaumont, north of Verdun, the report states."

A paris despatch on March 11 said that Colonel Driant, who was the hero of the defense of Caures Woods in the work of the defense of Caures Woods in the work of the state of the state of the state of the state of the defense of Caures Woods in the state of the st battle of Verdun, and who, it was feared, had been killed had corresponded to the description of a French officer who had been picked up, wounded in the leg, by German stretcher bearers, according to German prison-

TRAINS DERAILED BY HEAVY SNOW DRIFTS On Central New England Road Near

Millerton, N. Y.

Winsted, Conn., March 16 .- Two coaches of an eastbound passenger train on the Central New England railway are derailed at Husteds near Millerton, N. Y., and a snow plow train sent out last night from Millerton to release the passenger is also off the irons at Husteds according to in-formation received here today. The passenger ran into a heavy snow drift and its efforts to break through re-sulted in the two coaches leaving the rails No one was injured. The pas-

sengers are still on the train.

All trains on the Central New England and the New Haven roads entering Winsted are being run as "double-headers." High winds plling the snow into deep drifts is hampering traffic

FUGITIVES FROM MEXICO

TRAVELED IN BOX CAR Consul C. A. Williams and 45 Others

Laredo, Texas, March 16 .- Travel. ling the entire distance in box cars, Consul C. A. Williams and 45 other Americans arrived here late today rom Torreon, Mexico, having left the There was not a dissenting ballot in Mexican City, they said, because they were convinced it was the best thing to do. Their departure, he said, was not caused by any overt acts on the part of the Mexicans or failure on the since the recent fatality in the Bow fight at the University of Pennsylpart of the de facto government of-ficials to offer protection. Eleven Americans joined the party at Monte-

HAINES SENTENCED TO

LIFE IMPRISONMENT Wealthy Trumbull Farmer Found Quilty of Murder in Second Degree.

Bidgeport, March 16.—Jason Smith Haines, a wealthy Trumbuil farmer, was found guilty of murder in the second degree when his jury, after more than twenty-four hours deliberation, reported t 2:80 this afternoon. He killed his wife with a shotgun in September. His defense was that he was mentally unbalanced ash the result of long use of inforicants. sult of long use of intoxicants, Judge J. H. Webb sentenced prisoner to life imprisonment.

BRITISH DEALERS ARE BUYING TOYS IN AMERICA

Because of Stoppage of Supply For-merly Received from Germany.

Washington, March 16,—Stoppage of the supply of toys formerly received from Germany has sent British deal-ers to the United States and Canada, Department of commerce trade experts any the shortage is confined chiefly to mechanical noveities, metal goods and dolls. The war has acted as a power-ful stimulus on the American toy in-dustry.

Paragraphs

French Minister of War Resigns. Paris, March 16, 10.25 p. m.—General Joseph Simeon Gallieni, minister of war, has resigned because of lil health and General Charles Roque has been

French Provide for Wives and Children of Soldiers. Paris, March 16, 5.40 p. m.-M. Ri-bot, minister of finance, said in the chamber of deputies today that the government was now paying 176,000,-000 francs monthly as allowances to the wives and children of men mobil-

STEAMER TUBANTIA SUNK

BY MINE OR SUBMARINE iff the Coast of Holland-Passengers and Crew Believed to Have Barn

London, March 16 .- The ilollard Lloyd passenger steamer F cant a sank early today off the Noord Finder ightship as the result of straing mine or an attack by a submar e. The paseengers, among whom are sail to have been severa Americans, sad the members of the crew are all be eved to have been rescued. The steamer ried between 80 and 90 passencers and a crew of 300. She was a vessel of 15,000 tons.

The Tubantia left Amsterdam Wed-

ne day for the River Platte and was to have stopped at Falmouth for ad. i-tional passengers and freight. Farly this morning wireless distress call from the steamer were received at t Hook of Holland and torpedo boats and other craft rushed to her assistance. Some of these boats reached the steamer before she sank and took off passengers and members of the crew, while others picked up survivors from the ship's boats, on which they 'ad taken refuge after the explosion.

The first flashes from the liner said the had been torpedoed and was in a Hook of Holland and torpedo boats and

she had been torpedoed and was in a sinking condition near the Noord Hin-der lightship. Later messages attributed the disaster to the vessel coming in contact with a mine. Until full de-tails of the sinking of the steamer are at hand it will be impossible to say definitely what was the cause of the sinking.

Among the American passengers said to have been on board the Tubantia was Richard Schilling, described as an American consul, and his wife and

Seventy survivors of the disaster were taken into Flushing, Hollana, Ly two torpedo boats. Others took refuge on board the lighttship, while still others were picked up by Dutch and Swedish steamers. Those arriving at Flushing said the explosion occurred at 2,30 o'clock this morning, just, as the Tubantia was about to drop anchor. Opinions among them varied as to GERMAN SUBMARINE whether the vessel had struck a mine been torpedoed by a submarine.

BROKER LYMAN ADJUDGED IN CONTEMPT OF COURT

For Refusing to Answer Questions in Bankruptcy Proceedings.

New York March 16.-John Grant Lyman, awaiting trial here on a charge of swindling investors throughout the country in a stock selling scheme operated under the name of John H. Putnam & Co., was adjudged in contempt of the federal district court today for refusing to answer questions in connection with the bankruntry proceedings against the proceedings firm of which he was head. Lyman's mother-in-law, Mrs. Jane Hartman ignored a subpoena served upon her and it was announced an attachment would be issued to compel her to at-

tend the hearing. Lyman, accompanied in court by his wife, would not even admit his identiwile, would not even admit his identity, persisting, when questioned, in reply "I decline to answer." Judge
Hough became impatient with the
erstwhile stockbroker and declared
that if Lyman succeeded in obtaining
the necessary ball to free him from
prison on the swindling charge, the court would re-commit him for con-

Lyman has been imprisoned in the Tombs since he was returned here a few weeks ago from Florida, where he fled after the exposure of his alleged stock swindle.

SHIP SWAMPED OFF COAST OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Only One Member of a Crew of Eight

Saved.

Prince Rupert, B.- C., March 16.— The Pacific-American Canning Company's tender Alpha Philadelphia which left Bellingham Sunday for Al Philadelphia aska was swamped off Rachel Island

near here this morning. All on board with the exception of a deckhand named Christiansen are believed to have perished. Besides Christiansen, there seven men, including Captain S. W.
Miller of the Alpha. Christiansen who arrived here today, said that as the vessel listed and filled he threw a small boat clear and drifted away in it. He said he saw Captain Miller and Louis Roughe the sand rle and Louis Rouche, the engineer, both wearing life belts, swimming toward an island three miles away.

The wind and tide carried Christian-sein to another island where he im-

provised a paddle with which he made Metlakatla this afternoon. Launches and the steamer Malapsina are search ing for other possible survivors. CONNECTICUT REPRESENTED

AT AVIATION SCHOOL

Captain Ralph L. Taylor of Stamford Selected by Adjutant General Cale. Stamford Conn., March 16.-Captain Raiph L. Taylor, 7th company, coast artillery corps left here today for Newport News, Va., for three weeks instruction at the school of aviation there, which is being conducted under the auspices of the war department. Captain Taylor, who will be one of fifty national guardsmen at the school of the partment.

Washington, March 16.—The battle-ship Kentucky, now at New Orleans, was ordered to Verz Cruz today by Secretary Daniels. She will sail as soon as she can be provisioned and coaled. It was explained at the navy fifty national guardsmen at the school was designated by Adjutant General Cole as the representative from Conthe representative from Con-MOTOR TRUCK COMPANIES department that the Kentucky, which recently went from Vera Cruz to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras celebra-HEADED FOR EL PASO. Destined for Use of the United States Troops in Mexico.

> Chicago, March 16.—A special train carrying the first complete motor truck company for the use of the United States army in Mexico left here today for El Paso, Tex. It consisted of 28 specially constructed machines. Another complete motor truck company complete motor truck company Cleveland will leave here tomor-

Kansas City public library circulated 69,189 books in 1916.

U. S. Troops Are Lodge Criticizes Crossing Desert

THEY HAVE HAD NO ENCOUNTER SAYS BUCHANAN'S WAS ONLY WITH MEXICANS

ADVANCED

Commanding Officer of Juarez Voices Disapproval of Co-operation, But Declares He Will Obey Orders.

San Antonio, Texas, March 16.—
Somewhere south of New Mexico, perhaps twenty miles and possibly a greater distance, General Pershing and the divided force he is commanding are encamped tonight. They have had no encounter with Mexicans and their progress into Mexico in search of

Wilson's Policies

MORE INJURIOUS TERM

MILES AT HOME AND ABROAD

for Reelection Made Before the Lynn Republican Club.

There's a dear little plant that grows in our isle. Twas Saint Patrick himself sure that set it: And the sun on his labor with pleasure did smile, And with dow from his eye often wet it. It shines thro' the bog, thro' the brake and the mireland. And he called it the dear little shamrock of Ireland, The dear little shamrock, the sweet little shamrock, The dear little, sweet little shamrock of Ireland.

'THE DEAR LITTLE SHAMROCK'

That dear little plant still grows in our land. Fresh and fair as the daughter of Erin, Whose smile can bewitch and whose eyes can command In each climate they ever appear in. For they shine thro' the bog, thro' brake and the mireland, Just like their own dear I ttle shamrook of Ireland, The dear little shamrock, the sweet little shamrock The dear little, sweet little shamrock of Ireland.

That dear little plant that springs from our soil, When its three little leaves are extended, Denotes from the stalk we together should toil. And ourselves by ourselves be befriended, And still thro' the bog thro' the brake and the mireland, From one root should branch like the shamrock of Ireland. The dear little shamrock, the sweet little shamrock, The dear little, sweet little shamrook of Ireland.

-Unidentified.

Francisco Villa and his little arms has the exception of the administration of

Ploughing Through Desert. "Merely ploughing their way through the desert sand," were the words of General Funston in summarizing the day's developments.

WASHINGTON UNINFORMED

OF MEXICAN EXPEDITION Wall of Secrecy Surrounds Movements of Troops in Mexico.

Washington, March 16,-An impenwall of secrecy surround onight the movements of American troops beyond the Mexican border. So far as official Washington was advised the columns might have vanished into thin air when they crossed the international boundary yesterday in pursuit of Villa. Even the command-er-in-chief, President Wilson, did not know where General Pershing's men

No Reports From Funston.

Secretary Baker received virtually no reports from General Funston ceal-Late today he said he did not know whether the troops had proceeded southward from their first bivouac on Mexican soil last night.

Not a single despatch from the bor-der was made public during the day except one reporting the death of Lieut. Zell, 11th cavalry, at the Columbus hospital, where he took his own life in a fit of despondency.

No Important Developments. Army officials were convinced that no important developments were to be expected for several days. It seemed plain on the day's accummulation of rumors that Villa was far to the south of his American pursuers.

Slow Progress In Desert. The war department would not divulge any details of the number of troops crossing the border or the num ber of regiments sent. Press advices, however, showed that infantry ac-companied the cavalry and artillery out of Columbus in the main column. That means slow progress according to the desert conditions it will take ys, it is said, to cover the distance Galena, the last town where Villa was reported, unofficially to have

Consuls Unable to Give Much Aid. American consuls in Mexico so far have been able to give little aid to the troops, although all are on the watch for information that might indicate the bandit's movements. Consular ad-

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RETURN OF ANOTHER OF THE STOLEN \$10,000 GOLD NOTES

Taken From Mail in September, 1912 on Way From New York to Havana

New York, March 18.—A United States government \$10,000 gold note, one of the twenty of the same denomination stolen from the mail in Sep-tember, 1912, while on the way to New York from Havana, Cuba, was received by a bank in this city today from Madrid, Spain. It was sent by registered mail by the American Bank of Spain with the request that it be placed to the credit of that institution. It was the minth of the stolen notes to come to light. No information was available as to how the note received. available as to how the note reached the Madrid bank. A cable message was sent explaining the situation. As was sent explaining the situation. As fast as the notes turn up they are being turned over to the insurance company which made good the amount of the theft to the National Bank of be continued for the briefest possible Cuba. time, the company says.

A West Virginia company is making potash from hitherto waste stems

been uninterrupted, according to the Buchanan there has been no administration in power which has been so injurious to the United States, both at iome and abroad, as that now in con

Defense Plans Inadequate. After condemning the tariff and tax-ation legislation enacted by the dem-

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SEVENTH AND TENTH CAVAL NEARING VILLA TERRITORY

ritory in Cases Grandes Region. El Paso, Texas, March 16. - The eventh and Tenth cavalry said to be advancing into Mexico forced marches from Culberson's ranch near Hachita. N. M., were nearing the Vil-

la territory in the Casas Grandes re-gion tonight, according to the most reliable information that could be obtained here. These troops are reported to marching with the minimum of equipment and to be led by scouts from the Mormon colonies at Colonia Dublan

and Colonia Morales. From their point of departure the distance is 85 miles to Casas Grandes and the start was made early yesterday morning. If Villa intends to offer any organized resistance to his pursuers it might be possible for United States soldiers to come in contact with his outposts very

soon.

The American expedition is penetrating Mexico under ideal weather conditions. The hot season will not be reached for a month or six weeks and if the windmill wells, which dot part of the country through which the expedition is passing, are not dried up, the water supply situation should be relleved. Clear moonlight nights make it possible to see after dark for some distance. some distance.

BETTER GO UNCLOTHED THAN GO INTO DEBT.

Advice of Bishop William A. Quayle to Students Nearing Ordination.

Asbury Park, N. J., March 16 .- Bishop William A. Quayle, of the Metho-dist Episcopal church, in a charge delivered today to a class of young men, who will be ordained ministers at the session of the New Jersey conference, low in progress here warned them to

"The greatest financial enemy of the people today is the credit house," he said. "Better that you go underclothed and underfed than that you go in-to debt."

Bishop Quayle urged the members of the class not to make crusades. He told them the attitude of attack alienated old friends and made a few new ones. Above all things, he declared, ministers should not prate and must not attack other churches.

NEW HAVEN ROAD EMBARGO SATURDAY AT MIDNIGHT

On Account of Accumulated Freight on New York Piers.

railroad announced tonight that an embargo will be effective at midnight on March 18 on all freight consigned to SIGN OF DEATH PAINTED Pier 39, East river, and in connection with the New England Steamship com

The United States last year mined 600,000 tons of lead, an increase of 15 per cent. over the preceding year.

Condensed Telegrams

Austria has declared war against Portugal.

French troops occupied the Greek

Snow drifts at Broadalbin, in the Adlrondacks, are 40 feet deep. Resident of Portland have petitioned

Striking operatives in Warner Bros., laundry, Bridgeport, have retuned to

Food riots have occurred at Varns, Kazanlik, and Philippopolis, Bulgarian

An Austrian decree soon to be promulgated calls to the colors boys born n 1898.

structed for Spain at the Fore

ship yards. The second chamber of the Holland

Parliament adopted a war for \$50,000,000. Two men were injured when a Le-high Valley locomotive blew up at Gratwick, N. Y.

Tranportation in New York state vas seriously hampered by a heavy sleet and rain storm. Great Britain has ordered 150,000

eight-inch howitzer shells from four Middle Western firms Reports received at the Navy De partment state that new revolutions have broken out in China.

Because of ill health, President Pardo of Peru, will resign in favor of Ricardo Bentin, first vice president.

Deputy Internal Revenue Collector harles W. Bagley of Hartford has resigned. C. R. A. Byrne succeeds him, The bill to make January 1 a legal oliday in Mssachusetts passed the holiday in Msgachusetts passed the house yesterday and was sent to the

Kaiser Wilhelm has ordered the sale of several of his castles, the proceeds to be contributed to the new German

Four surgeons from the American army service list will be permitted to inspect the British army medical corps at the front. -Thomas Taggart, it is expected, will be appointed by Governor Ralston of Indiana to succeed Senator Shively, who died Tuesday.

The steamer Zealandia, reported in distress at sea after having lost her stering gear, has made repairs, and is proceeding to Malte.

...Juan Biboa, E Paso cattisman, arrived at El Paso from Mexico, where he said he had paid Villa bandits \$1,500

Summer civilian training camps will not be abandoned, Gen. Scott, Chief of Staff of the Army announced, reversing the decision announced Tuesday The Japaness steamer Hokoku Maru last reported as leaving Singapore on Dec. 20 has been posted at Lloyd's as overdue, and is thought to have been sion had acted and specially declared

Diretors of the Crucible Steel Co., America this afternoon declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 3--per cent. dividend on th preferred

Alfred H. Clement & Co., New Or-leans freght brokerage firm, have purchased four sailing vessels and will put them into transatlantic freigh

Manuel Garcie, Spanish Government representative, arrived at New York from Cadiz on the steamer Manuel Calvo, to buy war munitions in

A 12,000 mile voyage, begun on May 30 last, ended when the schonner A.
J. West of San Francisco arrived at
New York from Manila, via the Panama Canal.

King Sea, African monkey, and per of Kaffir stokers on the steamer Ap-pan when captured by the Germans has been given to the Prospect Park

The Italian steamer Regina d'Italia arrived at New York from Genoa and Naples. She carried two guns mounted on the after deck. It was her first

Capt. Gen. Valeriano Weyler, com-nander-in-chief of the Spanish army, and Governor General of Cuba at the beginning of the Spanish-American war, is near death in Madrid. More than 100 occupants of apart-

ments of Beverly Hall located in the Back Bay section of Boston, were routed from their homes by fire caused \$25,000 damage to the building. The Dutch steamer Jan van Nassau New York for Roterdam, wirelessed the radio station at The Lizard, Eng-land, that she had been damaged at

The nature of the accident was not given. TO FILL VACANCY CAUSED BY ELEVATION OF REV. E.C.ACHESON Church of Holy Trinity, Middletown,

Extends Call to Rev. Dr. F. F. German. Middletown, Conn., March 16 .- The Church of the Holy Trinity (Episcopal) tonight extended a call to Rev. Dr. Frank F. German of Mamaroneck N. account of accumulated freight congesting the piers in New York, the was made vacant some time ago by New York, New Haven and Hartford the elevation of Rev. E. C. Acheson to suffragan bishop of the diocese.

Formerly of Chicago.

El Paso, Tex., March 18.—Dr. Charles
C. Young, formerly of Chicago, reported today that the Mexican flag above a sign of death was painted on the door of his ranch house at Belen, Tex., made by a Gloucester en door of his ranch house at Belen, made by a Gloucester en door of his ranch house at the history house at th a sign of death was painted on the door of his ranch house at Belen, Tex., made by a Gloucester engineer, and 17 miles southeast of here, last night, contained 26,000 words.

Kouse Votes to Retain Sugar Tariff

THIRTEEN DEMOCRATS AND SO-CIALIST MEMBER DISSENT

VOTE WAS 346 TO 146

Free Clause of the Underwood-Simmons Tariff Act Nullified-Measure Now Goes to the Senate.

Washington, March 18.-With thir-en democrats and the socialist member opposing, the house today by a vote of 346 to 146 passed administra-tion bill to retain the present tariff of one cent a pound on sugar instead of permitting the free clause of the Underwood-Summons tariff act to go into effect May 1 next. The measure

now goes to the senate now goes to the senate.
Voting against the bill were Representatives Bailey of Pennsylvania:
Buchanan, Sabath, McAndrews and
Tavenner of Illinois: Callaway of
Texas; Crosser and Gordon, of Ohio;
Hilliard of Colorado; Howard of
Georgia; Johnson of Kentucky;
Thompson of Okinhoma and Van Dyke
of Minnesota, democrats and London of Minnesota, democrats, and London of New York, socialist .

Leader Kitchin Closed Argument. Debate on the measure aroused little enthusiasm until late in the day when Majority Leader Kitchin took the floor to close the argument. It was one of the few times Mr. Kitchin has appeared for administration measures during the session. Almost every republican member was present to see him quizzed by the minority tariff experts. iff experts.

Cannon Answers Kitchin. A rapid exchange resolved itself ingeneral assault upon and defense the entire Underwood-Simmons of the

Opening with the declaration that the republican party was the original free sugar organization of the United free sugar organization of the United States and quoting from congressional records and campaign books of the early 90's to prove his assertions, the majority leader drew attacks from Former Speaker Cannon, Representa-tive Fordney of Michigan: Cooper of Wisconsin: Greene of Vermont and other republican tariff specialists. Democrats Not Committed to Free Su-

The sole cause of the proposed re-The sole cause of the proposed re-peal of the free sugar clause, Mr. Kit-chin said, was that imports had fall-en off because of the European war, making the sugar taxes necessary to meet the expense of the government. Incidentally he declared the democra-tic party never had committed itself to a free sugar act for all time. to a free sugar act for all time.

as a ransom for his release.

In order to save the cargo, the burning steamer Herman Winter was flooded in the harbor at Portand, Me. The damage amounted to \$100,000.

Agents have been sent from St. Johns, N. F., to the United States and Canadian ports to buy saling vessels for the fish and coastal trades.

Summer of this release.

Recalls Payne Aldrich Law.

"I have heard a great many people denounce the Underwood act, but I have not heard a solitary, single republican defend the Payne-Aldrich law," he said. "You repudiated the very act you passed in the first congress following its enactment. President Taft at the very first opportunity after that act went on the statute books promised the people to revise it."

The Payne-Aldrich tax I approved then," interrupted Mr. Cannon, and I have never apologized for it sance and would to God it were on the statute oks now."

the Payne act was too high and ought to be cut down." Bailey Attempted to Amend Bill. Representative Bailey made a futile attempt to amend the bill so as to suspend the free clause until May 1, 1917, by which time, he said, he hoped the war would be over. Motions by Representative Howard to re-commit and to amend the measure so as to preserve a tariff of one-half a cent a

pound on sugar and to place a tax of 35 per cent on raw silk were over-whelmingly defeated.

GREEK CONSUL-GENERAL AT SAN FRANCISCO PROTESTS Against Treatment by the Local Courts and Sheriff's Deputies.

San Francisco, March 16.-Clearthe assardakis, consul-general of Greece at San Francisco, announced today that he had made a formal protest to the Greek minister at Washington against treatment received at the hands of local courts and sheriff's dep-

today under the care of a physician as a result of his efforts to prevent the execution of a judgment against

Vassardakis was confined to his bad

The treaty between the United States and Greece has been violated; consular papers and consular property have been removed from my office; my consular dignity has been outraged and my constitutional rights have been violated" he declared.

A legal firm recently obtained judg-ment against the consul for \$822 for services. When Vassardakis failed to appear to appear to answer the suit s warrant for his arrest chaging con-tempt was issued. A stay was grant-ed by the state supreme court on the contention that he was not subject to the jurisdiction of the local courts. Yesterday a deputy sheriff and a po-liceman appeared at the consulate to satisfy the ujdgment by seizing a quantity of small Greek statuary.

Vassardakis said he was convinced that the officers were trying to arrest him in violation of he supreme court's oder and resisted. He said he was knocked flown and stamped on, it is resorted.

TO ESTABLISH WIRELESS

DIRECTION FINDER At Naval Radio Station at North Truro, Mass.

suffragan bishop of the diocese.

SIGN OF DEATH PAINTED

ON DOOR OF RANCH HOUSE.

Warning for Dr. Charles C. Young.

Warning for Dr. Charles C. Young. cate the direction and distance from which a message comes. Tests have shown the instrument's bearings wit'-